

Wooddale High School Boys Basketball Team TSSAA Division I, Class AA State Champions



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc.,
Beta Epsilon Omega Chapter
"AKA Connectional Day"
at Memphis City Hall

City of Memphis Service Numbers

Animal Shelter	(901) 636-6500
Citizen Service Center	(901) 636-6500 (311)
Non-Emergency Police	(901) 545-2677
Memphis City Beautiful	(901) 636-4410
Memphis Code Enforcement	(901) 636-7464
Memphis Light Gas & Water	(901) 544-6549
MPD Crime Unit	(901) 525-3673
Public Works	(901) 636-6762
Solid Waste	(901) 636-6876
Health Department	(901) 222-9000
Solid Waste Holiday Line	(901) 636-6650
County Code Enforcement	(901) 222-8394

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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Rozelle-Annesdale Park

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Memphis Area Neighborhood Watch

The Neighborhood Crime Prevention Grant Office has awarded crime prevention grants to Neighborhood Watch groups in District 4. Since January 2016, thirty-eight (38) neighborhood watch groups in District 4 have received Crime Prevention Grants from the City of Memphis. Almost all the grants awarded were for \$2,500 for a total value of approximately \$94,000.

Cameras

District 4 currently has fifty-five (55) Blue Crush cameras situated in various locations within the district. These cameras consist of Sentinel Phase I & II and donated cameras.

June 2017-Phase I

- Ten (10) Blue Crush Cameras selected for the area of South Parkway and Greenwood.

June 2018-Phase II

- Ten (10) Blue Crush Cameras selected for the Orange Mound Area of Park and Grand.

May 2019-Phase III

- Ten (10) Blue Crush Cameras selected for the Bethel Grove Area of Lamar, Dunn and Trezevant.

District 4 also received one Blue Crush Camera through the Technology Innovation for Public Safety (TIPS) Grant. This camera features gunshot recognition technology, license plate reader technology, and camera technology. The TIPS camera is located in the area of Ketchum and Imogene.

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District 4 Area Projects

Fairgrounds/Beltline - TDZ dollars total estimated budget for the Fairgrounds is roughly \$150M, with an estimated \$55-60M coming from TDZ proceeds. The development zone could potentially open opportunities for the areas of the old Melrose School and Lamar/Airways shopping center.

Orange Mound - The City is working with the community to identify a development plan for Historic Melrose.

Resources for Homeless and Special Needs

SHIELD, Inc. 2452 Ketchum Cove, is a nonprofit that operates a sponsor based rental assistance using Shelter Plus Care funds to pay rental assistance for 24 units of housing. SHIELD, Inc. serves very low income homeless individuals / households with a disability of chronically homeless, mentally ill and/or dually diagnosed individuals unaccompanied by children.

Lowenstein House, Inc. 821 S. Barksdale, has been awarded \$36,082.00 in the Public Services category. Lowenstein House is a psychiatric rehabilitation program which serves low income adults, ages 18 or older. The Lowenstein House provides a comprehensive program targeting vocational skills training, job placement, interpersonal skills, independent living skills, and other educational programs.

Public Works

Potholes

District 4 has a total of 1,001.02 Lane Miles with state routes included. Since 2017, there has been over 9,332 total potholes repaired.

Resurfacing

Approximately 45 streets and 3 subdivisions were scheduled for resurfacing for FY2019: Knightwoods Subdivision, Elliston Heights Subdivision and Highland/Prescott Subdivision.

Libraries

Parkway Village Library is undergoing renovations/upgrades for ADA accessibility and compliance. The parking lot at both Parkway Village and Cherokee libraries are scheduled for resurfacing and ADA markings.

Parks

2016

Jesse Turner Park - re-paved parking lot and provided new security lighting at parking lot. Constructed a new basketball court. **Orange Mound Courtyard** - replaced burned playground equipment and rubber safety surfacing, added 4 trash receptacles, 1 water fountain.

2017

Lincoln Park - repaved entry drive into park, constructed new dumpster enclosure at **Hamilton Community Center**. **Lewis-Davis Park** - added 2 trash receptacles and 2 player benches at the basketball court. **McFarland Community Center** - new furnishings including 80 chairs and 13 tables to replace old furnishings. **Orange Mound Community Center** - new furnishings including 80 chairs, 12 tables and 8 carts to replace old furnishings.

2018

Jesse Turner Park - replaced rubber surfacing at playground, added 3 picnic tables with grills, re-surfaced basketball court, added 1 large grill and water fountain at pavilion, painted and re-roofed pavilion and refurbished 3 picnic tables under pavilion. **Glenview Community Center** - kitchen repairs (fire suppression) and HVAC replaced. **McFarland Community Center** - new refrigerator and bleachers. **Orange Mound Senior Center Pool** - completed major repairs to the pool, including replastering the pool, repairs to the roof and replacing the HVAC system. Pool reopened to the public in December. **Orange Mound Park** - painted the entrance archways, goal posts and metal components of the playground structure and installed a new park sign. **Rozelle-Annesdale Park** - upgraded the park with a new playground/swings and refurbished pavilion (completed in September). **Spanish American War Memorial Park** - acquired 1.4 additional acres to improve neighborhood connections to the park.

2019

Bellevue Tennis Center - 4 new outdoor concrete post-tension courts to replace old courts. **Orange Mound Park** - playground surface replaced scheduled for completion in 2019. **Lincoln Park Pavilion Replacement** - pavilion was destroyed by a tree in 2017; replacing the pavilion is scheduled for completion in 2019. **Orange Mound Community & Senior Center** - parking lot sealed and re-stripped. **Glenview Community Center** - gym basketball floor replaced and athletic supplies purchased for adaptive use. **Glenview, McFarland & Orange Mound Community Centers** - purchased new game room equipment and smart TVs for each center to be completed (2019). **Orange Mound Senior Center Pool** - programs at this indoor pool include: adult water aerobics, adult and youth swim lessons were added in February.

2020

McFarland Park - **NRPA Grant** awarded in 2018 to refurbish the park using innovative storm water strategies that will allow more frequent use of the ball fields. Flooding will be minimized. Project currently in design; planned for construction in 2020.

